



Interior Design Council

December, 1999

Announcement

The Missouri Division of Professional Registration announces the appointment of the Interior Design Council. The Council will be responsible for developing, implementing and administering the rules and regulations necessary to carry out the new registered commercial interior designer title act.

A provision of the statute was made to allow commercial interior designers to qualify for registration by the following: (This is intended only for those applicants who do not meet the education requirement, experience requirement, or have not taken and passed the full NCIDQ examination.)

Section 324.409, RSMo

(2) Within twenty-four months of August 28, 1998, a person may qualify for registration by providing substantial evidence to the Council that the applicant:

(b) Has passed or intends to take and pass within the next twelve months the building and barrier free portion of the National Council for Interior Design Qualification (NCIDQ) or an equivalent state codes examination approved by the Council and has provided satisfactory evidence of having used or been identified by the title, interior designer, and has diversified and appropriate experience totaling a minimum of ten years; or

(c) Has taken and passed the building and barrier free portion of the examination administered by the National Council for Interior Design Qualification or an equivalent state codes examination approved by the Council, and has passed the American Institute of Interior Designers accreditation examination.

Candidates who will apply to the Missouri Interior Design Council for registration under Section (b), and intend to take the building and barrier free codes section of the exam, must send a **Letter of Intent** to NCIDQ at the following address:

National Council for Interior Design Qualification
Attn: Todd Bostick
1200 18th Street, NW
Suite 1001
Washington, D.C. 20036
Fax: (202) 721-0221

The letter will inform NCIDQ that the applicant intends to apply for registration in Missouri and will require access to the Building and Barrier Free Codes section of the NCIDQ exam.

THE LETTER MUST BE POSTMARKED TO NCIDQ OR FAXED NO LATER THAN JANUARY 1, 2000 IN ORDER TO REGISTER FOR THE APRIL 2000 EXAM, AND NO LATER THAN JULY 1, 2000 FOR THE OCTOBER 2000 EXAM.

Additional information as to application for registration with the Missouri Interior Design Council under other sections of the law will be provided in the near future.

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